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SPECIAL NOTICES. THE EVENING STAR.

THE PICNIC OF THE GRAND UNITED ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS, which was to have taken place Monday, August 5, has been POSTPONED on account of the weather to THURSDAY of this week, August 8, at Gales' ange-2t Washington News and Gossip. GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TO-DAY.-Internal revenue, \$231,552.54; customs, \$533,560.93. DR. SEATON will preach the closing sermon at Mt. Zion A. M. E. camp. Penneat Woods, D. C., on WEDNESDAY NIGHT, 8 h instant. Prayer meeting continued during the night. Will break up with Love Feast TdUiSPAY MORNING at 8 o'clock.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS to the tour per cent. loan to day, amounted to \$642,300. THE PRESIDENT will not go to Cape May

this summer.

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O. R. R. Office, 485 Pennsylvania ave. aug5 4t AT THE CABINET MEETING to-day it was divulged that news had been received from army officers on the Rio Grande that the Mex ican troops on the other side of the river were organizing under orders from their command ers to repel any raids by American troops. A notification was laid before the Cabinet that the Chinese Embassy would be present in the city about the 1st of September, and some discussion concerning our relations with China

> THE FOLLOWING ORDER has been issued by the War Department: "The frequent applications for the modification of General Orders No. 38, relating to the removal of division and and department headquarters to posts within their geographical limits, in so far as they affect officers of the general staff serving in military divisions and departments, make it necessary to announce officially that such officers of the staff as are directly connected and doing duty with a commanding general at a division or department headquarters, and who division or department headquarters, and who form in fact the division or department staff, must take quarters at the posts or places at which the headquarters have been established, unless specially excepted by name by the Secretary of War. As it is the evident inten-tion of recent legislation that, as far as practicable, officers shall occupy public quarters, it is directed that whenever it can be done in the interest of the public service, officers of the general staff serving under the command of a division or department commander, and who are not properly a part of the division or de-partment staff, shall be established at posts or places within their command at which there are public quarters. When, from the nature of the duties to which the officer is assigned, this cannot be done, officers serving at stations at which there are no public quarters are entitled to and will receive commution of quarters as heretofore."

SITTING BULL'S MEN CROSSING THE LINE.-Information has been received at the Indian office that a number of Sitting Bull's men and some of the northern Indians are crossing the border into the United States and are advanc-ing in the direction of Fort Belknap. No buf-faices are now found north of the 49th parallel, and the Indians have come south to hunt, and have not, it is believed, any hostile intentions. These Indians, as well as those left behind. are in a very destitute condition.

Personal.-Capt. J. B. Eads, of the Mississippi jetty system, arrived in the city to-day.Sir Edward Thornton left Montreal yesterday for Washington.

INDIAN FARMERS AT OMAHA AGENCY.-The Rev. Owen Dorsey, of the Protestant Episcopal church, who recently left the scene of his successful labors in Prince George county, Md., to go out among the Indians, writes to friends in this city, giving encouraging ac-counts of the condition of things at the Omaha agency. Mr. Dorsey is well known in philological circles for his valuable labors in the Ponca language, a dictionary of which prepared by him is to be published by the Smith sonian Institution. His philological researches among the Omahas cannot fail to have important results. Mr. Dorsey writes: "We are not among savages, but farmers, living in frame houses, raising better wheat than the whites. The Omahas furnish all the supplies for the market of the town of Decatur. Their crops this year double those of last year, but owing to the insufficient supply of mowers and reapers thousands of bushels of wheat will be lost. They have broken this year many acres of parairie, so that there is a prospect of a still larger crop next year. They have supplied the agent with seed wheat. Doors and windows stay open all night, except in rainy weather. Theft, drunkenness, oaths and fighting are unknown. All are very friendly, and are pleased to find that I can talk with them. The Omahas are very busy harvesting, and I can not see much of them till their work is over. So I expect to start in a day or two for the Winnebago agency, eight miles distant, to remain there ten days or two weeks. There is material enough here to keep me six months, and I find four or five to help me among those who speak English."

NATIONAL CEMETERIES.—The division of the Q. M. G's office having charge of National Cemeteries is having a season of brick work. At Andersonville, Fort Gibson, Memphis, Baton Rouge, Port Hudson, Beverly, and Grafton many improvements have been com-menced, all of which are expected to be com-pleted this season. The outlay has principally been for walls and lodges and for roads to connect the cemeteries with the adjacent cities. At Antietam considerable has been done in improving the grounds, but the more important work has been prevented by the delay in transferring the titles of the ground held by sixteen different states to the United States. All of these states but four have made the transfer. As soon as they have done likewise the government is authorized under an act of Congress to pay all the outstanding indebtedness of the cemetery and assume charge of the ground. The legislatures of three states are expected to make the transfer this fall, in which event work on the cemetery will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible next

COMMANDER GEORGE E. HAYWARD, commanding the Michigan, reports to the Navy department the arrival of his vessel at Port Huron, Michigan, on the 3d instant, from De-troit. He would sail on the 4th for Marquette, Michigan, which will be the address of the ship while in Lake Superior.

ABOUT SENATOR BRUCE. - Editor Star: Having seen it currently reported in the press of this city that "Senator Bruce, of Mississippi, will settle near Cleveland, Ohio, when his senatorial term expires, having bought a farm near there," I feel authorized, in the absence of the Senator, to state that the above is untrue: that at the expiration of his term in the U.S. Senate he will return to Mississippi, and will, as he has done in the past, devote his time and energies to the upbuilding of the people and the development of his state. people and the development of his state.

Congressional Nominations.—John W Ryan has been nominated democratic candi date for Congress in the 13th Pennsylvania district. The Nationals of the 15th district of Ohio have nominated Rev. Geo. W. Pepper for Congress.

A SALOON-KEEPER'S FOLLY COST HIM HIS LIFE.—Last Thursday morning George Ab-bott, a farmer, of Farmington, San Joaquin county, Cal., killed J. P. McClurg, a saloon-

keeper, for intimacy with Abbott's wife. THE STEAMER SPEEDWELL is at Portsmouth (N. H.) navy-yard, where she will be repaired and improved before returning to Gloucester, Mass., in the interest of the United States fish

THREE MILLIONS of people are reported to be affected by the famine in Morocco. Large numbers are daily dying from starvation and disease is adding to the horrors of the situation. A relief movement has been gener-

ously started by the Hebrews of this city.-N. Y. Herald. KILLED INSTANTLY.—Piercey D. Lesley, assistant Supervisor of the Pennsylvania rail-

road, while engaged in surveying at the end of the bridge at New Brunswick, N. S., yesterday, was struck on the head by an engine and killed instantly.

WHEN Goldsmith Maid trotted a mile in 2:14, it was considered—as it was—a wonder-ful feat. Now Rarus sees the Maid's time and goes three-quarters of a second better, trotting the mile in 2:134. This is very fast going certainly, but the chances are that the colt is now nibbling grass whose predestined glory it is to beat it.—[N. Y. Sun.

SECRETARY SHERMAN arrived at New London, Conn., yesterday morning on the revenue cutter Grant and left at noon for New-

custom house trucking, he would never have found out that the politicians are all thieves, with the one exception of Gen. Butler.—[Boston Herald.

A dispatch from Newfoundland says that Bishop Conroy, apostolic ablegate, died at St. John, N. F., last night.

Col. Casey has submitted his report on the Washington Monument to the President, wno

will call an early meeting of the joint commission, and lay it before that body. At the request of the President the report will not be made public until the commission has acted

safety of the structure raised to a height of 525 mistakes in the dimension data accepted as correct, which were discovered at the begin-ning of Col. Casey's and Capt. Davis' labors. Thus instead of being about 173 feet high, as generally accepted to be correct, the monument's altitude is in fact only a fraction of an inch over 156 feet. It has also been found that the base does not descend as far into the ground as it was thought it did. Other inaccuracies are mentioned in the report, and a number of recommendations made. Among the latter is one that the manument be run up the latter is one that the monument be run up to 525 feet, instead of 486 feet, and that work be commenced as soon as possible, and carried on until the monument is completed.

says:—On Friday night last, about 9:30 o'clock as Mrs. John E. Wilson, of this town, wife o men, supposed to be colored. Mrs. Wilson resides at the east end of the town, where succeeded in escaping from her assailant and ran to the house, at the door of which she fainted. Mrs. Wilson's assailant seized her and threw her violently to the ground. In the fall she received a painful wound on the back of her head. The villain choked her se-verely, and in the struggle which ensued her neck and shoulders were considerably lacerated and bruised. The screams of his wife and rushing out with gun in hand, the desperadoes fled. In the morning an investigation began, resulting in the arrest of four colored men belonging to the Port Royal. the steamer plying between this place and Baltimore. Their hearing was held in the court house this evening, lasting until about 11 o'clock. After bail each, remanded three of them to jail— John H. Williams, George H. Johnson and Joseph Moore-and released Wm. Jefferson, against whom it was decided there was no

HON. MONTGOMERY BLAIR has been interviewed at Cape May by a correspondent of the New York Tribune. He is reprsented as predicting a democratic victory in the fall elections; he thinks the Potter investigation has helped the democratic party by uniting it, besides it has made the republicans "shinny" on their own side. Mr. Blair says the republicans laughed at him for urging the investigation, but that he had had too much experience to pay attention either to their attention. ence to pay attention either to their attacks or their ridicule. In regard to the national party in Maryland, Mr. Blair said there were some of the nationals in Baltimore, but though they were mostly republicans, and expressed the belief that the growth of the new party would help the democrats. Mr. Blair also said he understood the republicans would endeavor to elect a Congressman from the sixth district of Maryland. He thought thedemocrats would probably not nominate Mr. Walsh, and in Montgomery county, which claims the nomination, the contest between several democratic candidates living in that county for the nomination is very sharp, and may leave behind it sufficient bitterness and dissatisfac-tion to enable the republicans, if they take advantage of it, to gain a Representative in

SMUGGLING BY U.S. NAVAL OFFICERS.—Custom house officers boarded the United States s hoolship St. Mary's, which arrived at New London, Conn., on Saturday evening, 24 days from Madeira, and seized a quantity of smuggled goods, consisting of wines, gloves, silks, Turkish rugs and carpets. Commander Fithian, of the St. Mary's, says the goods, with the exception of the gloves, were sent home by the officers of the United States ship Alliance, now at Lisbon, to their families. He claims ignorance of the law relative to custom

House of Commons to-night Sir George Campbell, liberal, asked whether, now that the United States had made silver a legal tender, the government would consider the possibility of establishing equivalent silver coinages in the great silver-using dependencies of the kingdom. He advocated an increase of the silver rupee coinage. The Right Honorable Stephen Cave, conservative, deprecated these proposals. He said the bi-metallic standard was very inconvenient, and that the govern-ment's duties in regard to currency should be limited to the prevention of fraud.

HE EXPLAINS.—The Madison (Ind.) Courier contains a lengthy communication from Cyrus T. Nixon, chief clerk of the Indiana house of representatives, devoted to the alleged frau-dulent passage of the state house law. Mr. Nixon states that he called the roll in question and admits that he was mistaken in announcing the result. He explains how this happened and argues that nevertheless the state house bill was a legal bill, is legal, and indignantly repels the accusation of fraud or design in the

THE FOURTH REFORM COUNCIL was held at Chatauqua Camp, at Fair Point, N.Y., yesterday. Hon. Horace Bemis delivered an address on temperance. At the council on Sunday the labor and wages question was discussed and trades unions were both denounced and de fended. The drift of opinion was that there should be no interference between the man who wishes to work and the man who desires to employ him, or dictation as to the terms they shall agree upon. Several religious collo quial meetings were held yesterday also.

CHARGED WITH THE MURDER OF HER HUS-BAND.—Mrs. M. H. Smith was formally arraigned in Jersey City, N. J., yesterday, charged with the murder of her husband, policeman Smith. She pleaded not guilty and policeman Smith. Matthew O. Lee, an Indian was committed. Matthew O. Lee, an Indian tramp, has been arrested as accessory to the

DROUGHT.—Reports received from several districts north of Pottsville, Pa., represent that there is a scarcity of water, many of the streams being nearly dried from long drought, and much trouble is caused in working mines. In the Bear Ridge collieries, at Mahony plane, there was not enough water to work the engines, and, consequently, 400 men and boys

a young man named John Malia was shot through the left side by a bullet from a Remington rifle, which the hotel keeper used to keep the peace. Malia is expected to die, and

Chace, Hathaway, Winslow, Sibley, Wright, Jackson, Tappan-and does not recognize there any German name, neither that of any "ignorant Irish Catholic."

THE NEW AMERICAN THEATER, at Philadel phia, was sold at sheriff's sale yesterday to Henry H. Morell, of Niblo's Garden, N, Y., for \$75,000. It is said that the management of the theater will not pass out of Mr. Fox's hands.

park, near Baltimore, yesterday afternoon between the Hornell and Baltimore clubs was played in the presence of about 250 spectators. A brisk shower of rain fell during the progress of the game. The Baltimore club playing an unusually near game the batting being a game the batting being unusually poor game, the batting being no-ticeably weak, and met a signal defeat, the score being 13 to 0 in favor of the Hornells.

Ex Speaker Grow opens the Pennsylva-nia campaign this week. ing Fort Famagosta, Island of Cyprus, refuses to quit that stronghold.

vent success. *A native American convention has been called in Vermont.

Mr. Chairman and Fellow Workingmen and Women of Boston: On behalf of the workingmen of the Pacific coast I thank you for this grand, enthusiastic reception. In order to be as responsive to the popular will and expression that went up from this meeting to-night when a certain man's name was mentioned, I feel like bringing a message of greeting and

love to the man who is lesser than Macbeth, yet greater to that fiery and incomparable Rupert of debate, to that chivalrous and white-plumed Navarre of the rostrum, gallant, gifted glorious Rutler ed, glorious Butler. [Great applause, and cries "Say it again!") We bid him take heart and hope, and hope that he will receive the reward from the workingmen of Massachusetts he so justly merits for his bold and outspoken action in behalf of down-trodden humanity. [Applause.] With the remark, "It is getting hot, Mr. Chaurman," Kearney at this point took off his coat and loosened his cravat amid the loud cheers and laughter of the audience. Continuing he said: I am sorry dience. Continuing he said: I am sorry, friends, that we are not rich enough to be able to hire Beecher to knock the bottom out of what means this outpouring of people? What means this grand tidal wave? What is the matter with the country, that the workingmen are arising from north to south, from west to east? To do what? To take charge of their own affairs. [Applause.] Here, upon the altar of Liberty, here, where the sun first dawned upon the infant brow of Liberty, here where free men and free women have spoken. where free men and free women have spoken, here in the second century of the independence of America we find a natural and popular uprising of the people, what does it mean? I ask you does it not mean death to the railroad robber and lecherous thieving bondholder? Applause.] And does it not mean political

blivion to the rancorcus, villlanous political bummer? [Applause.] The speaker then paid his respects to the press, saying from the earliest days of printing newspapers had been more in the interest of cut-throats, political bilks, daylight thieves and midnight assassins. [Great applause and laughter.] For reporters of the press he had great respect, as they were workingmen. After assailing the press in his characteristic manner, Kearney said newspaper men were a villainous, thieving, infamous band of scalawags that are aiming to control public opinion.
If the workingmen of the United States possessed within their breasts a single spark from which the fiame of freedom could be fanned, they would not permit such monsters to live in they would not permit such monsters to hive in their midst; they would control these tele-graphs; they would hurl these infernal lying scalawags from power and select honest men to transmit plain, unvarnished news. As to ungrammatical sentences and ungrammatical speeches for \$2.50 Lean always him a men to speeches, for \$2.50 I can always hire a man to write a grammatical speech, but it takes millions to buy an honest man, be he ever so un-grammatical. [Applause.] Let me state that the country is run to perdition by a band of classic thieves and legal pirates. What workingmen want is common honesty and common sense; better guides than classic attainments. Defending himself against newspaper attacks, Kearney said: "I never smoked tobacco nor drank whisky in my life."

Ex-Gov. Hendricks' Speech. OPENING THE INDIANA CAMPAIGN.

The democratic campaign in Indiana was formally opened last evening by ex-Gov. Hendricks in a speech at Indianapolis. He said: Need I remind you that the next legislature will choose a United States Senator and that the political character of the Senate may de-pend upon that choice! I suppose the support of the democratic legislative ticket means Mr. Voorhees for Senator and the republican ticket Gen. Harrison. They are both gentlemen of ability, but they represent very different political opinions and purposes. In voting directly for Senator how would your ballot be cast? You are sincere and earnest in your opinions and will not throw your votes away upon a legislative ticket that you know canrot be elected, nor do you wish to hold an uncertain position between the two parties to be bargained with or for. How, then, will you yote? Mr. Voorhees believes that national bank notes should be retired and in lieu there should be issued by the government an equa' amount of Treasury notes, and that the the exclusive prerogative of the government. He also believes Congress should provide for taxation by the states of the United States treasury notes as other money is taxed, and he believes the policy of Gen. Grant's administration and of the present administration in converting our debt into a foreign debt is unwise and inexpedient, and that the true policy of our government and the best interests of the people would be subserved by making it a domestic debt, by affording the people the most favorable and practical opportunities for the investment of their savings in the funded debt of the United States. He believes also in the restoration of the silver dollar with full legal tender quality in the payment of all debts both tender quality in the payment of all debts, both public and private, and that the coinage there of should be made as free and unlimited as that of gold. You are to be told that the success of the democratic party means payment for slaves and southern claims, even to the bankruptcy of the treasury. Can it be necessary to say that the fourteenth amendment to the constitution forbids much that you are assured we will do? The constitutional pro-visions are that neither the United States nor any state shall assume or pay any debt or obli-gation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or any claim for loss or emancipation of any slave. Any man who tells you that an obligation can be assumed or paid in violation of the constitutio deals falsely with you. Do you ask what I think of Hayes' southern policy? He has none. He and his administration are incapable of any policy; but what they have done in the South I approve. General Grant will probably be the republican candidate, and his candidacy will signify strong government, always prepared to hold the people in control.

MISS MARY CUSTIS LEE, daughter of Gen. Robert E. Lee, has been having an adventure in Italy. While stopping at the Hotel Royal des Strangers, in Naples, she accidentally ignited the mosquito bar in her room, destroyed all the curtains in the room, and came near setting the hotel on fire. She offered to pay for the damage. The landlord demanded 2,000 francs for what was liberally estimated to be only worth \$70. The American consul was called in. The landlord reflected in some way on the character of Miss Lee, and was immediately bounced by Mr. Clark, of South Carolina. A general row followed, which was participated in by Judge Melton, Col. John T. Sloan, jr., Mr. D. A. P. Jordan, of South Carolina, and Dr. I. B. Roberts, of Georgia, on one side, and all the hotel clarks waiters and one side, and all the hotel clerks, waiters and citizens of Naples on the other. Col. Sloan challenged the landlord to meet him in the garden with sword or pistol. The landlord compromised on \$70 and didn't fight.

DEMOCRATIC DILEMMA. - The Louisiana democratic state convention was called to be held yesterday in Baton Rouge, but at the latest there was not enough water to work the engines, afid, consequently, 400 men and boys are idle.

FATALLY SHOT BY A HOTEL KEEPER.—At the Notch, north of Scranton, Pa., Saturday

The during a fraces in on, Pa., Saturday

yesterday in Baton Rouge, but at the latest mail advices the leaders were in somewhat of a quandary. The circumstances are thus set forth in the New Orleans Picayune of the 1st instant: "The governor received yesterday a dispatch from Baton Rouge, in which it was the Notch, north of Scranton, Pa., Saturday

Fatal Railroad Smash Up. on the board of health of that city in order to complete the quorum. Mr. W. H. Magruder was immediately appointed. It is considered probable that the board will recommend to the council of Baton Rouge the establishment of quarantine against New Orleans, in which event it will be necessary to hold the conven-tion elsewhere. The president of the state central committee, Col. Patton, has addressed a communication to a friend in Baton Rouge, with the view of finding out whether the convention can be held there or not. No answer has yet been received. Col. Patton says the convention cannot be postponed. Donaldsonville has been suggested as a place of meeting, but there are said to be no accommodations for delegates, and it is probable that Donaldsonville will also quarantine New Orleans. It is likely that the delegates from this city will have to hold a convention of their own while the country delegates meet somewhere else."

> WATCHING A SICK BANK PHESIDENT.-Sergeant Joseph Long, of the Essex market police court squad. on Saturday evening visited the house of Mr. Scheuermann, president of the Teutonia Savings Bank, at No. 424 east 17th street, to arrest him on a warrant granted by Justice Flammer. Scheuermann was confined to his bed from nervous prostration, as he has been reported to be since the bank failed. The sergeant left two officers in charge of him. Scheuermann is charged by a committee of the bank's depositors with perjury in swearing to the bank's annual reports, wherein the amounts expended for securities in which the bank's money was invested were systematically exaggerated, the margin, according to Secretary Hahn, being divided among the trustees. Hahn is a prisoner on the same charge.—[N. Y. World, 6th.

Telegrams to The Star. THE KENTUCKY ELECTION. BOSTON KEARNEY MEETING

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

TERRIFIC STORMS.

BUSINESS FAILURES.

RAILROAD SMASH UP

KEARNEY MEETING IN BOSTON. The Resolutions Adopted. Boston, August 6.—The following were the resolutions adopted at the Kearney meeting last night:—"Whereas this republic, instituted for the avowed purpose of advancing and conserving the interests of the masses, has been reduced to a platformary that applies the rereduced to a plutocracy that employs the republican and democratic parties in the per-fidious work of establishing thieving monopolies and class privileges, that sap the blood of the pational industries, so that it can be apped up by the vampires of capital; and whereas all laws enacted that are not in the direct and open interest of the producing and labor classes are a crime against the spirit and prosperity of this republic, for which the legislator should be branded with the infamy of criminal imprisonment; and whereas infa-mous, if not criminal, class legislation has been heaped upon the industries of the nation by political parties until the burden has become the torture of the masses, from which there is no escape except by uniting the mutual interests of the producing and laboring people of all classes in such political action as will give them their rightful control of state and national legislation—privileges of which they have been plundered—and thereby restore this government to the just and lawful purposes for which it was instituted by our patriot fathers: Therefore, be it Resolved by the Citizens of Boston in Fan euil Hall assembled, That it is in the highest and truest interests of all the industrial classes in New England that they should extend a hearty, cordial and united support to Dennis Kearney, the great and efficient apostle of the laboring classes of California, who comes among them for the noble purpose of uniting them as he has united their brothers in his own state in that political action which

just and humane principles for which it was instituted, so that the prosperity of this people may be recalled and firmly established. Kearney and the Associated Press. Kearney in his harangue last night used much of his vocabulary to villify the "Associated Press." Reading from the San Francisco Chronicle a dispatch, he attributed it to the "Associated Press." No such dispatch was sent from this office. The only dispatch we have sent beside a simple announcement of his arrival and the programme for the meeting last night, was the report of an in-terview between Butler and Kearney, furnished by Kearney's private secretary, and afterwards peddled out to the Boston morn-

in his own state, in that political action which

is necessary to restore this government to the

TERRIFIC STORM. Two Men Struck by Lightning. PHENIXVILLE, PA., August 6—A terrific storm, accompanied by thunder and lightning, passed over this town last night, doing considerable damage. Robert Townsend and Edwin Roberts, of Philadelphia, were over-

ing papers for \$5 each by said secretary.

taken by the storm and took shelter under a tree, which was struck by lightning. Town-send was instantly killed, and Roberts is not expected to recover. A Bursted Reservoir and Flood. Canton, Pa., August 6.—This village was visited last night by a heavy thunder storm. The reservoir belonging to the Canton Water Company gave way between 12 and 1 o'clock, doing considerable damage. The large sash and blind factory belonging to Coon & Brain

was entirely swept away, together with several barns and shops. Many dwelling-houses were filled with water, the inmates barely escaping with their lives. Most of the bridges on Towanda creek have been swept away. No lives were lost. Trains Delayed in New Jersey. NEWARK, N. J., August 6.—The rain this morning washed the track of the Erie and Paterson road, delaying travel about an hour. In Newark the streets were flooded, and in

Orange portions of Llewellyn park were badly Three Women Killed.
CINCINNATI, O., August 6.—A special from Anna Ill., states that three women—Mrs. Smith, Miss Miller and Miss Matthias-while

seeking shelter from the storm on Sunday evening, were instantly killed by the top of a large oak tree which was broken off by the storm and hurled upon them.

BISHOP & CO.'S FAILURE. Meeting of the New York Creditors. New York, August 6.—About 32 of the New York creditors of Richard M. Bishop & Co., grocers, of Cincinnati, met yesterday at the store of B. G. Arnold & Co. Wm. T. Bishop, a store of B. G. Arnold & Co. Wm. T. Bishop, a son, and W. S. Dickinson, a son-in-law, were present. B. D. Arnold presided. Mr. Arnold read the schedule of liabilities of the firm, as follows:—In New York, \$145,000; Philadelphia, \$16,000; Boston, \$12,000; Baltimore, \$3,000; and \$184,525.85 due in different small cities, nearly all of them in the west. Assets were stated to be \$256,828.70, assets of firm being \$233,228.70 and individual assets of R. M. Bishop and W. T. Bishop being \$23.600. A committee of six T. Bishop being \$23,600. A committee of six were appointed to investigate the affairs of the firm. It is understood that sharp questions were asked in regard to the management of the besiness of the firm for the last few years, which W. T. Bishop answered promptly. He attributed the failure of the firm chiefly to heavy depreciation of real estate, but told of losses by the Climax Mowing Machine Company through which 200 May alost in investigation. pany, through which \$30,000 was lost in investments in machines and \$10,000 in stock. Mr. Bishop said that the firm had made little money on the face of the ledger every year,

but that there had been a loss on bad debts. Battle at a Kentucky Barbecue. CINCINNATI, August 6.—At a barbecue at Sandy Riffs, Ky., ten miles from Frankfort, on Saturday evening, John Thompson and Wm.Gordan began quarreling and firing upon each other. Their respective friends and followers immediately drew their pistols, and 30 shots were fired before the termination of the affair Gordon was wounded in the face. affair. Gordon was wounded in the face. Thompson's horse was killed under him. Leonidas Howard was shot in the hip. Doan Roach was shot in the lung and will probably die. Walter Roach had his horse killed. The deputional of the religion of the control of assistants and

Fatal Railroad Smash Up.
ELIZABETH, N. J., August 6.—Last night coal train No. 2, westward bound, on the Lehigh Valley railroad, ran into a section of a train ahead of it, smashing several coal cars and strewing the wreck across both tracks. Train No. 64, Gowery, engineer, eastward bound, came along under full headway at the moment of the accident, ran into the wreck and was thrown from the track. Wm. Ezeroni, fire-man, was instantly killed, the engineer bruised and the engine and train thrown off the track. The accident occurred a mile-and-a-half west of Bound Brook. A wrecker was sent in immediately to clear the wreck.

Saratoga Races. SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug 6.—This was an extra day of the Saratoga races. The first race for two year olds, five furlongs, was won by Belinda, with Monitor second, and Dan Sparting second race, handicap, sweepstakes, one mile and a half, was won by Bonnie Wood, with Hattie F. second, and Inspiration third. The third race, three-quarters of a mile, was won by Susquehanna, with Alleveur second. and Annie Augusta third. Time, 1.17½.

A Horrible Murder. FORTRESS MONROE, August 6.—A horrible murder was committed on Saturday last at the Bates farm, five miles west of Hampton. Two colored men, brothers, named John and Wm. Bird, got into an altercation in reference to wages amounting to \$2, when John drew a large pocket knife and cut his brother's throat and stabbed him in the back of the neck and through the heart. The murderer in now in jail at Hampton.

Blasius Pistorius. HARRISBURG, PA., August 6.—The application before the board of pardons for commutation of the death sentence of Blasius Pistorius, the ex-Catholic priest, to imprisonment for life, was continued until September 3,

FOREIGN NEWS. **Grand International Shooting Match**

in Paris. Paris, August 6 .- A committee of organization has been formed with the view of open-ing, from the 8th to 22d of September, a grand international shooting match, to which the French, foreign and delegations from the ac-tive and territorial armies are to be invited.

Victory for Bogardus. LONDON, August 6.—At the great international pigeon shooting match to-day between Capt. Bogardus and Mr. Aubrey Coven try, Bogardus won by one bird.

The Shooting. London, August 6.—The great international pigeon shooting match between Captain Bogardus, the American champion, and Mr. Aubrey Coventry, for £100a side, each to shoot at 50 birds came off to-day at the grounds of the International Company Pole Club. Capt the International Gun and Polo Club. Capt. Bogardus was the winner of the contest by one bird. The score was: Bogardus, 79; Coven-

VIENNA, August 6.—The Emperor Francis Joseph and the Arch Duke Rudolph, son of the Emperor, will arrive at Teplitz to-day, on a visit to the Emperor Frederick William. The Austrians in Mostar.

The Austrian troops entered Mostar, Herze-govina, at 6 o'clock Monday evening, without opposition; the inhabitants appearing very riendly.

A Cuban Loan, MADRID, August 6.—Several of the news-papers of this city announce that a Cuban oan will be issued during the present month. The Election in Hungary. VIENNA, August 6.—The opposition have made considerable gains in the elections in

THE LABOR INVESTIGATION. Meeting of the Committee To-day. NEW YORK, August 6.—This being the last day of the Congressional labor investigation committee, the attendance was unusually large. The majority of "volunteers" carried

copious documents, ready to be heard indi-vidually or collectively, and were somewhat clamorous. George E. McNeill, president of the International Workingmen's Union, residing in West Somerville, Mass., was the first witness. The whole difficulty in his opinion is the wage system of labor, or in other words that the wage system and steam engine are contemporaneous, and that productive power has exceeded the power of consumption. He favored the 8-hour law throughout the country. Mr. Seck, of Dauling, Conn., followed. He thought that, instead of lending hundreds of millions of dollars to banks, the government should lend some few hundred millions, free

with, the amount to be paid back by instal-Mr. M. Tellick was for abolishing the U.S. Senate, restricting the power of Congress and ing the hours of labor to six, and allow no one outside of the labor bureau to employ laborers. Mr. Kemp believes the cause of the depression was the war over the issue of currency, extravagance caused by the short period of inflation and a high pr tective tariff, all of which angle to be remedied. which ought to be remedied.

of interest, to the workingmen. He read a

long petition to Congress, asking the govern-

ment to lend any man \$5,000 to build a house

THE KENTUCKY ELECTION.

Returns from Several Points. EVANSVILLE, IND., August 6.- The Journa has reports of the election from several points in Kentucky, including Louisville, Owenboro', Henderson, Madisonville, Hopkinsville, Lexington and Newport. Lexington, Frankfort and Newport gave majorities for the nationals. In Louisville the Catholics and anti-Catholics were opposed, the anti-Catholics winning. At Owenboro' the democratic candidates for county officers were elected by large majorities, the national party polling a very small vote. At Madisonville, Hopkins county, the democratic candidates for county judge and jailor were elected by 200. They were the candidates of a fusion of one wing of the democrats with republicans. There were no contests for the other officers except magistrates, of which the republicans have probably gained three or four. At Hopkinsville the republican ticket, except assessor and jailor, was elected. The nominees for marshal and judge of Hopkinsville were defeated by about 100. CINCINNATI, August 6.-At the county election in Covington, Ky., yesterday, the demo cratic ticket was generally successful. At Newport the independents were victorious.

NEW YORK NOTES.

The Murder of Policeman Smith. NEW YORK, August 6.-Cove Bennett, whose name has been so conspicuously connected with the Smith murder in Jersey City, was arrested in that city yesterday and lodged in jail. Bennett was arraigned in the Jersey City police court to-day, charged with suspicion of the murder. He plead not guilty and was remanded to await the action of the coroner's jury.

Two trunks belonging to John H. Draper, the custom house auctioneer, who arrived from Europe Sunday, were seized by the custom house officials yesterday. It is charged that they contain smuggled goods.

A Perjured Bank Officer. John Scheuermann, president of the Teuto-nia Savings bank, gave bonds this morning to answer a charge of swearing false in regard to affairs of the bank.

Affairs at Portsmouth, N. H. PORTSMOUTH, N. H., August 6.—Patrick Riley, who has been confined in jail awaiting the action of the grand jury for alleged complicity in the murder of Eugene Sullivan, over eighteen years ago, in this city, was to-day admitted to bail in the sum of \$10,000. The U.S. steamer Lancaster has been hauled under the shears preparatory to going on the

Sudden Death of an Aged Bride-Groom. OCEAN GROVE, N. J., August 6.-Thompson A. Godfrey, aged 6) years, was, last evening, married to a lady of 23, by Rev. S. Jaquet, and died suddenly this morning. He was formerly a real estate agent at Pottsville, Pa., but had lived here four years. His first wife died last winter.

Secretary Sherman Going to a Clam Bake. NEWPORT, R. I., August 6.—Secretary Sherman has accepted an invitation from the basiness men of Providence to attend their weekly meeting at Squantum, Providence river, to-morrow. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Sherman and a few invited guests, and will go eastward in the latter part of the week.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., August 6.—This morning, while light battery K was drilling at Fort Adams, the horses going at high speed, on a turn one gun carriage upset. Three men rolled underneath the gun, and being badly injured were sent to the hospital. There names are Polk G. Flynn, G. Wanderle and Wm. Nichols.

Yellow Fever in Memphis. aged 17, admitted to the quarantine hospital August 3d, died yesterday. The deceased came from New Orleans, and is the only case of yellow fever that has reached Memphis.

Boston's Latest Defaulter in Jail. BOSTON, August 6.—Royal B. Conant, the defaulting cashier of the Elliott National bank, arrived late yesterday at Nantasket in custody of a U. S. marshal. He was brought thence to this city and is now in jail.

Congressional Nomination. BELFAST, ME., Aug. 6.—The Republican Congressional Convention, of the fifth district here to-day renominated Eugene Hale by ac

The Markets.

BALTIMORE, August 6.—Virginia sixes, old, 20; do. deferred, 3%; do. consolidated, 54%; do. second series, 28%; past due coupons, 78%. North Carolina sixes, old, 15; do. new, 8; do. special tax, 1 bid to-day. Sugar quiet and unchanged.

BALTIMORE, August 6 -Cotton firm—middling, 11%. Flour steady and unchanged. Wheat, southern active and firm; western firm and higher and offerings light—southern red, prime, 10% 1.06; do. amber, 1.05a1.08; No. 2 western winter red, spot and August, 1.05; September, 1.05%; October, 1.06. Corn, southern steady; western quiet and steady—southern white, 54a55; do. yellow, 52; western mixed, spot and August, 48%; September, 49%449%; October, 50; steamer, 45%, Oats quiet and casier—southern, 32a35; western white, 32a33; do. mixed, 31a31%; Pennsylvania, 33a35. Bye nominal. Hay duil and unchanged. Provisions firm and unchanged. Butter scarce and firm—choice western, 13a15. Petreleum nominally unchanged. Coffee firm—Rio cargoes, 13a17. Whisky dull, 1.06. Receipts—flour, 6,400; wheat, 167 000. Freights to Liverpool per steamer uncharged.

NEW YORK, August 6.—Stocks strong uncharged.

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Money, 2. Gold, 100%. Exchange, long, 483;
short. 486%. Governments firm.

NEW YORK, August 6.—Flour quiet and
steady. Wheat, spring without decided change
and dull; winter a shade firmer and higher. Corn
quiet and a trifle firmer.

Sitting Bull.

TOPEKA, KAN., August 6.—The Topeka National Bank closed its doors yesterday morning. The president says it was caused by the large amount of exchange held by the Mostin bank when it failed. The amount of depsits is \$130,000; amount available to pay depositors, including currency and exchange, \$30,000; at Washington, \$20,000; loans and discounts, \$105,000. The affairs of the bank are now in the hands of the Comparative of the Currency the hands of the Comptroller of the Currency, and he has been telegraphed to. There is lit tle feeling, the idea being prevalent that the bank will pay in full all the deposits.

Failure of the Topeka National Bank.

White Bird's Band. SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—A despatch from Fort Lapwai says the Indians supposed to be

White Bird's band prove to be only a small party of thirteen men and eight women. White Bird and most of his band are still with

Washington Grove Camp Meeting.

[Special Correspondence of The Star.] CAMP, NEAR GAITHERSBURG, Montgomery county, Md., August 5, 1878.-Last night was one of the quietest for Sunday ever spent on a camp ground. The sun to-day has been very warm, but there has been a fine breeze stirring, rendering it very pleasant and comfortable until about 23% o'clock, when the clouds commenced to o'clock, when the clouds commenced to gather. After considerable thunder and lightning, rain commenced to fall, and continued at intervals during the remainder of the day, not in torrents, however, as we heard you had in the city, but just the rain that was needed to lay the dust for to-morrow, when a large number of persons and vehicles are expected from the country, as Tuesday is one of the days they attend the meetings. The clouds, however, broke and scattered during the evening service, leaving us a clear sky for the evening service, leaving us a clear sky for the morrow. Everybody is busy cleaning up to-

be purchased as cheaply on the ground as in There is little or no excitement on a camp ground on Mondays, and there are but few visitors. The trains from the city this morning did not bring half a dozen to the grounds. while from the country there were not a dozen

day, after the reception of the visitors of yes-

terday, and many of those who do their own

cooking repaired to the city this morning to

invest in a fresh stock of provisions, although the general impression is that provisions can

carriages. The 81 a.m. meeting was led by Mr. Simpson, of Union Chapel, and many rich experi-ences given in. The meeting at this hour, every morning, is one of the most profitable to those who attend it of any held on the grounds. This meeting was adjourned, to be continued at 3 this p.m.

At 10½ a.m. those on the grounds assembled for worship. The Rev. J. S. M. Haslup, of Rockville circuit, announced as his text. Luke xii, 35, 38 inclusive. The theme was watchfulness, and was listened to with marked atten-At 2 p.m. the children gathered together and had a pleasant meeting. The Rev. Harry S. France was assisted to-day by Messrs. Mar-

At the same hour a ladies meeting, under the charge of Mrs. Burris, was held in a large meeting tent, whice has been erected on Fifth Avenue for the purpose. The exercises con-

sisted of praise and experience. The meeting at 3 o'clock was a continuation of the 81, a.m. meeting, consisting of prayer, singing and experiences, led by Rev. James McLaren. At 7:45 the Rev. Harry S. France was again

called upon to preach. His theme was again most Persuaded." He took as a basis for his sermon Acts, xxvi., 28: "Almost thou per-suadest me to be a Christian." The force of his remarks were entirely directed to the unconverted. At the close he extended an invitation to those "almost persuaded" to present themselves for prayer. Rev. Richard Norris followed in such an exhortation as is seldom heard at a Methodist meeting now a days such an exhortation as used to be delivered during the early days of Methodism. Four penitents presented themselves for prayer. Some of the young men were this morning engaged in what the boys call "batting up, on the road leading to the depot, when a colored woman passing by caught one in her mouth. She didn't hold it, however, but drap-ped it and made for her boy, who was among the number, causing him to make a home run faster than he ever ran a base. To-night the atmosphere is damp, and for

the first time this year the camp fires around the circle are lighted, their glare adding to the picturesqueness of the camp.

Affairs on the Virginia Side. FALLS CHURCH, VA., Aug. 6, 1878.

Editor Star:-Our last rain, ending the rainy season and changing our meteorology into drought, was June 22d. Up to that date for quite a season we had had "a little too much of a good thing." Very soon after that we had a good deal too much of a bad thing. This drought, for its duration, was one of significant severity, and ended July 27th. It had two or three times been barely interrupted temporarily by short, moderate showers. During its period corn rotted sundry times, and the bugs and insects wrought ruinously on the the bugs and insects wrought ruinously on the vines, cabbage, &c. The rain which wet out its sultry reign commenced on the evening of the 29th ult., and was a very heavy washing fall of water, doing considerable damage to

crops. Our weather has verified the adage, 'One extreme follows another." The Rev. L. B. Platt, pastor of the Congregational church of this village, has taken a vacation from his church for the "heated term," and discharges pastoral duty for Dr. Lyttle, I think it is, of your city. He is a young man with rare gifts; his thought new, diction terse, often elegant, and his sermons. always varying, are new, fresh and interest-

Prof. Graham, a citizen of our borough or its suburb, has purchased recently, I am told. of Mrs. Sewall, twelves acres and a half of land. Before purchasing he has said at times that he wanted it "for a particular purpose," without making known just what that purpose was. Rumor now relates that the purpose is to establish—to anglicise a classic term—a Sanatariom. It is said that Professor Hood, of your city, will be associated with Prof. Graham in the enterprise. I am told that the grounds are already being cleared up and put in order

and put in order.

The house of W. W. Kensley, esq., was struck by lightning on the evening of Wednes-A Star club is being made up here. This, is successful, will be the first club of a Washington daily ever taken here.

AN UNDERTAKER'S BILL.—A young man in the family of Mr. Siegler, No. 279 New York avenue, Jersey City Heights, died a few days ago. Frederick Beckman, an undertaker, offered to bury the body for \$30, and Siegler directed him to go on. After the body had been put on ice, Beckman presented a bill for \$74. Seigler refused to pay it, and said he would employ another undertaker. He offered Beckman \$6 for having placed the body on ice. Beckman \$6 for having placed the body on ice, but Beckman refused it, and placed an employe in the house to prevent any other undertaker from preparing the corpse for burial. Seigler went to Justice Laird to learn his rights, and was informed that it was his privilege to eject the unwelcome watcher from the premises.—[N. Y. Times, 5th.

LOVE, CRIME, PARDON AND DIVORCE.— Philip Lewinski, of Brooklyn, some years ago became attracted by the appearance of Josephine Schauffer, an inmate of the Hebrew orphan asylum, and after a time married her. He was a man of some means and engaged in a profitable business, but a year after his marriage he formed the acquaintance of a number of politicians and fast men and separathic riage he formed the acquaintance of a number of politicians and fast men, and spent his money very rapidly. His business was ruined, and he became a counterfeiter of nickel coins, together with the Lowrey family. The counterfeiting was discovered, and Lewinski and the Lowreys were convicted and sent to prison. Mrs. Lewinski, still clinging to her husband, notwithstanding his crime, succeeded in obtaining a pardon for him, and eight months ago he was released. She now brings suit against Lewinski for divorce, saying that he treats her cruelly and inhumanly, and fails he treats her cruelly and inhumanly, and fails to provide food for herself and children. The case is before Judge McCue, of Brooklyn, for preliminary examination.—[N. Y. World, 5th.

MINNIE MINISTER'S INSANITY .- Some time ago Minnie Minister, a pretty girl aged 18 years, who lived with her parents at No. 67 Avenue C, went to New Haven, Conn., having been engaged as a governess in the family of Simon Metzger, a prominent Hebrew. Until two weeks ago she wrote regularly to her parents, and then they heard no news of her parents, and then they heard no news of her until last Wednesday, when she was taken to her home by a son of Mr. Metzger. She was then violently insane. The young man who accompanied her said that two weeks ago she went with his father's family to Savin Rock, near New Haven, and that while bathing there she went beyond her depth and narrow-ly escaped drowning. When she recovered consciousness it was found that the fright had consciousness it was found that the fright had cost her her reason. Her parents kept her at home for a day or two, but she became so viclent that it was necessary to take her to Believue hospital. Sometimes in her ravings she spoke of a lover who had deserted her when she was sinking in the water, and her parents are full of doubts.—[N. Y. World, 5th.

A Boy's RIGHT TO WHISTLE.—The Hart-ford (Conn.) Post says: "An interesting test case has been decided in Middletown, in this state, which equals in importance the famous baby-carriage case in New York. And although baby-carriage case in New York. And although
the publication of the decision cannot fail to
have a depressing effect, we feel bound to
print it. Two boys were complained against
for the persistent and continuous blowing of
penny whistles, the complainant stating that
it greatly annoyed him and his family. The
boys were arrested, brought before the justice,
and discharged to go on whistling as before.

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AT At Cape May an invalid lady is daily carried into the surf in an arm-chair by colored waiters,

The Washington Monument. Kearney in Fanenil Hall. HE ATTACKS THE PRESS, THE BONDHOLDERS, ETC. Dennis Kearney spoke in Faneuil Hall, Boston, last night. The following is the substance

of what he said: upon it. It is a very interesting and lengthy document. The plan proposed for strengthening the foundation has been given in THE STAR. It is by lateral and downward extensions of the base. By this means such additional strength can be given as will insure the safety of the strength can be given as height of 505 The report also points out the various

Two Ladies Assaulted by Two Negro Ruffians.—A special dispatch, dated Monday, to the Baltimore Sun, from Elston, Md., a member of the Elkton bar, was returning to her residence in company with her niece, Miss Broomall, they were attacked by two unknown there are but few houses. As the ladies approached the gate of the dwelling next theirs the two men jumped from a tree opposite and seized them. The tallest of them seized Miss Broomall, and the other, a short, heavy-set fellow, setzed Mrs. Wilson. Miss Broomall and the arrival of Miss Broomall aroused Mr. Wilson, who was lying in the parlor asleep, hearing a number of witnesses for the state and defence, the magistrate, in default of \$500

positive proof.

duties. The goods will be confiscated.

the Notch, north of Scranton, Pa., Saturday night, during a fracas in Ackerley's hotel

officers were dispatched to arrest Ackerley. THE Boston Herald looks down the list of eminent Massachusetts defaulters - Pond.

The sale was to satisfy a mortgage. THE GAME OF BASE BALL at Newington

The Turkish sub-lieutenant command-A despatch from Berlin says: "Nobiling attempted suicide Saturday with a pair of seissors, but was discovered in time to pre-

The Petersburg (Va.) Index says that the increase of insanity among the colored people has been very marked during the past ew years.

Louisa Sylvan, the woman who attempted to blackmail a Boston lawyer, having locked his clothes up in a trunk, proves to be a member of the criminal classes, with many aliases, and a husband in Sing Sing.